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REF WA821, LD970, LD181156, LD181550 ON REVOLUTIONARY VOICE OF ZIMBABWE:

1. BASED ON CHECK OF FCS FILES, IT APPEARS THAT THE "ZIMBABWE PEOPLE'S REVOLUTIONARY VOICE" PROGRAMS IN ENGLISH, NDEBELE AND SHONA FROM LUSAKA AND LUANDA EXTERNAL RADIOS (PREPARED BY THE "PUBLICITY AND INFORMATION BUREAU OF THE PATRIOTIC FRONT OF ZIMBABWE") ARE NOT NEW. THE PROGRAMS APPEAR TO RESEMBLE ENGLISH-LANGUAGE PROGRAMS PRODUCED BY THE AFRICAN NATIONAL COUNCIL OF RHODESIA FROM MAPUTO SINCE 4 MARCH 1976 AND ADDIS ABABA SINCE 1 JANUARY 1979. RADIO ZAMBIA AND RADIO TANZANIA ARE REPORTED TO HAVE BROADCAST SIMILAR PROGRAMS BY THE ANC FOR SEVERAL YEARS. LUANDA'S BROADCASTS OF THE ZPRV PROGRAM MONITORED RECENTLY MAY HAVE JUST BEGUN.

2. SINCE THE ZPRV PROGRAM APPEARS TO HAVE UNDERGONE A NAME CHANGE FROM "ZIMBABWE HOUR," "VOICE OF THE REVOLUTION," ETC., PLEASE CONFIRM THE TITLE OF MAPUTO'S 1800-1815 GMT PROGRAM IN ENGLISH TO RHODESIA (ON CAU'S REGULAR COVERAGE) AS "VOICE OF ZIMBABWE." IF POSSIBLE, WOULD APPRECIATE A RECHECK OF PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR NEW MATERIAL ON BEAMING, ETC. 19/1928Z APR

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REF LD970 AND LD181156 ON REVOLUTIONARY ZIMBABWE SOURCELINE:

CONCUR IN USE OF: "LUSAKA (OR LUANDA) REVOLUTIONARY VOICE OF ZIMBABWE PEOPLE IN ENGLISH TO SOUTHERN AFRICA." CHOICE OF SOURCELINE SHOULD DEPEND ON PERCEIVED STUDIO OF ORIGIN. IT IS NOT YET CLEAR WHETHER LUANDA ORIGINATES ENTIRE CAST OF ANGOLAN TRANSMITTER.

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PROPOSE TO USE SOURCE[INET LUSAKA (OR LUANDA) REVOLUTIONARY
VOICE OF ZIMBABWE PEOPLE IN ENGLISH TO SOUTHERN AFRICA; GIVEN
THE 16 APRIL OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT, THE PROGRAM SEEMS DIRECTED AT
MORE THAN JUST RHODESIA;

THE BBC IS ASKING CAU TO PROVIDE A WEEK'S WORTH OF PROGRAM SUMMARIES AS A SAMPLE OF PROGRAM CONTENT AND TO ASSUME REGULAR COVERAGE, FILING ON MERIT. THE PROGRAM SUMMARIES WILL BE WIREFILED AS RECEIVED. 18/19312 APR

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